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In re Application of: )

D'AMATO ET AL. )

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For: ESTROGENIC COMPOUNDS AS )  
ANTI-MITOTIC AGENTS )

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

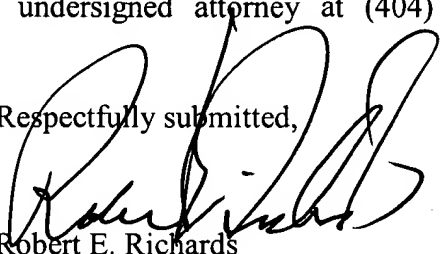
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed October 25, 2005, Applicants respectfully submit the corrected section of the non-compliant amendment: Amendment of the Claims. Although no additional fees are believed due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required by this response to Deposit Account No. 11-0855.

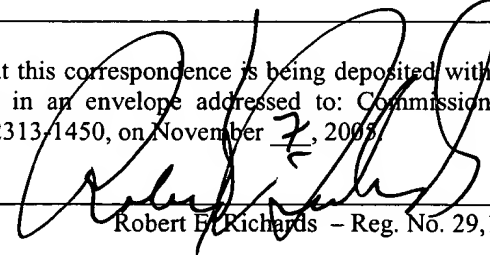
If the Examiner believes any informalities remain in the application which may be corrected by Examiner's Amendment, or there are any other issues which can be resolved by telephone interview, a telephone call to the undersigned attorney at (404) 745-2408 is respectfully solicited.

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